

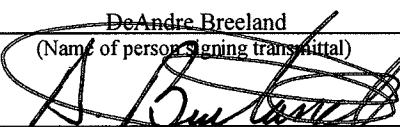
IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants : Mamoru Ueda, et al.
Serial No. : 10/018,588
Filed : March 29, 2002
For : DECODER AND DECODING METHOD, RECORDED MEDIUM, AND PROGRAM
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RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.121 AND
PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Applicants hereby petition for a one-month extension of time to respond to the Non-Final Office Action dated April 29, 2008, having an extended period for reply set to expire on August 29, 2008. Applicants submit herewith an electronic payment in the amount of \$120.00 as payment of the extension of time fee. Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 3 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in Listing of Claims which begins on page 4 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.